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Senate consideration of the Republican-sponsored tax-reduction measure was delayed until tomorrow to permit study of the possible effects on Government expenditures of any program that the President might propose.

The House approved, 251 to 232, an extension of rent control until March 31, 1949. The measure would give local rent advisory boards autonomy to raise rents or to offer freedom from controls.

As the walkout of soft coal miners spread, a spokesman for the operators accused John L. Lewis of stopping to force an agreement in violation of the Taft-Hartley Law.

In Prague it was disclosed that several more leading politicians opposed to the present regime have been stripped of Parliamentary immunity as a prelude to trial on charges of treason.

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SESSION AT NEWTOWN

NEWTOWN, Mar. 17—At the meeting of Bucks County Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, held Monday at the home of Mrs. Frank Fabian, here, Mrs. Ralph Dwinell, George School, was the guest speaker.

In opening her talk on "Keeping House in Cairo" Mrs. Dwinell mentioned that George Washington was an idol of the Egyptians, probably because they wanted their independence from the British—which they later attained.

It has been 13 years since Mrs. Dwinell spent three years in the land of the Pharaohs, and at that time when her husband was at a university there, there were only 300 living in the American colony.

She informed that "In Cairo five languages were spoken. Arabic was usually understood by all. It was almost a necessity to learn this language; also to have native servants as cooks and laundry workers on account of methods of equipment used or attainable."

Mrs. Dwinell added that there was an evening church service held due to the heat during the day. The majority of the people were of the Mohammedan religion, some for business reasons only. Shopping was slow as the first price asked is known to be excess of the expected, but tact must be used to save "face." Sometimes tea or coffee are served while the sale is being made.

Information also included that blindness is prevalent among the natives because of flies and other pests, and being fatalists, natives do nothing to prevent blindness here."

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SERVICE TOMORROW

EDGELY, Mar. 17—Service for Mrs. William A. Rittler, Sr., who died here on Monday, is arranged for tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock at the Molden funeral chapel, 133 Ott street, Bristol.

Interment will be in Tullytown Cemetery. Friends may call Wednesday evening.

The exhibition is sponsored by the department of physical education in Bensalem township high school auditorium. Tickets are being sold, the affair being open to the public.

The athletic groups of the high school, grades seven to 12, inclusive, will present numbers, with 250 pupils participating in a two-hour program.

There will be an unusual assortment of floats, baton twirlers and clowns appearing throughout the evening to add to the numbers.

Those directing the program are Miss Mabel Ridge and Norwood Wetherhold.

PATIENTS AIDED

Bucks County Rescue Squad

transported Mrs. McCue, of Falls-

ington, to Harriman Hospital, yes-

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TRADING OUT U. S. A.

Few Americans are following the Havana sessions of ITO—the International Trade Organization, which is seeking a charter to freeze world trade and tariff relations.

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HOW TO GET A HOUSE BUILT

Writing from Stockholm to a

New York newspaper, George

Axelson says that the Swedes

"have gone to extremes on the

subject of law and order, and in

their zeal to reach perfection have

created a jungle of regulations

and orders that complicate the

everyday life of citizen and visitor

alike."

There is a rule on trains, for

example, that beer can be served

only with food. A passenger said

he had his own sandwiches. The

blonde waitress said they would

have to be railroad sandwiches,

not his. "All right," he said, "one

of yours, then, and a bottle of

beer."

But the blonde had no sand-

wiches and he got no beer.

Another regulation put restrictions on building because of a

manpower shortage. A man could

not build a house unless he or

his family did the work. This

time a loophole was found, says

Mr. Axelson.

"One authentic case was re-

ported of a government building-

license bureau advising an appli-

cant to adopt a carpenter as his

son if he wanted to get his house

built."

The carpenter was adopted,

and presumably the house was

built. But there are no further

details as to how the arrangement

is working out. Had the

applicant a daughter? If so, did

she marry the carpenter and set

up housekeeping in the new

house? Did she insist on having

several more closets built after

sizing things up?

Perhaps the carpenter found

that adoption, daughter or no

daughter, was more than he had

anticipated. Could he and his

foster-father dissolve the contract

without too much trouble? Or is

everybody happy and cozy?

Before Americans start adopt-

ing carpenters to get houses built

faster, there are obviously certain

angles to be considered.

FLOODS NEXT!

Now comes the season of the year when flood news makes the front pages and rivers overflowing banks cause havoc and dislocation. Whether this spring is to be an exception is not yet clear, but everything is against it.

It was quite a winter in most areas, and melting snow and thawing terrain will send streams cascading over their banks. In flood areas people are making plans for the annual visitation.

When a river overflows its banks and floods towns and farms, man is helpless. All he can do is take measures calculated to soften the impact.

If the boom is over, as some

predict, the white-collar man can

quit worrying about how he will

feed his family, and start worry-

ing about how he will care for his kinfolk.

Kansas City woman who gave her savings to a stranger who had inside government information on the grain market, now has inside information from the police that the man is a crook.

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But the foreigners present are not willing to accept "global free trade." Many of their governments are supported by the income of their tariffs, and have no other source of taxes to keep them going; free trade would bankrupt them. Most of them, too, are interested in building up their industries, and know perfectly well that, unless they can keep cheap foreign goods under control, such industrialization can never take place.

Their reasons for wanting protective tariffs are somewhat different than those of the American group which also demands protective tariffs.

The American interest lies in the need for protecting, not the producers themselves, but the high wages and living standards of the American working people, which lead to production costs that cannot possibly stand up under direct dollar-for-dollar competition with cheap slave or subsidized labor abroad.

How has this deadlock between American free-traders and foreign believers in protection (either by tariffs themselves or by such other expedients as licensing, quotas, trick currencies, etc.) been broken so that progress has been made in writing the charter?

It has been broken by Uncle Sam backing down all up and down the line. The American representatives have made new "concessions." These concessions do not cost the representatives anything—they aren't working in factories for their living, they aren't trying to run manufacturing plants, and in the main they have little money invested in industry.

The cost of these concessions will have to be borne, in the long run, by American citizens of three classes: those who work for their living, those who have businesses of their own, and those who have savings invested. In such business,

These concessions are so wrong in principle that they will eventually kill off ITO just as certainly as the veto clause has destroyed the effectiveness of the United Nations. But in the meantime, incalculable harm can be done to American economy, world position, and standards of living.

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Congress is not a court. Except in the rare case of impeachment, or contempt of Congress, it has no power to try, fine or imprison anyone. Congressional committees will not observe all the rules of judicial trial. Time does not permit. Congress has too many other things to do.

Mr. Lucas' resolution wisely limits the number of witnesses, and the time to be spent in the defense of the wounded reputations.

On the floor of the House or Senate, a member may talk freely. The Constitution wisely gives him this immunity. But rarely is this privilege abused. The Congressman knows he is speaking in a public forum, where fancy play is expected, where hitting below the belt is almost certain to degrade the one who does it.

It is attacks in a committee room, where few members are present, or before newspaper reporters, or over the radio, that the Senator's resolution is designed to prevent.

In justice to Congress, most committees conduct their investigations with dignity, courtesy and fairness. It is the rotten apple that makes the barrel smell.

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When a river overflows its banks and floods towns and farms, man is helpless. All he can do is take measures calculated to soften the impact.

If the boom is over, as some predict, the white-collar man can quit worrying about how he will feed his family, and start worrying about how he will care for his kinfolk.

Kansas City woman who gave her savings to a stranger who had inside government information on the grain market, now has inside information from the police that the man is a crook.

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Inside Your Congress

Fair Play In Congress

—by—

SAMUEL B. PETTENGILL

"The Gentleman from Indiana"

This column has reference to no person now under investigation by any Congressional committee. I want to make that plain. If Russian agents are trying to pry into our military secrets, and if American citizens are helping them, they must be exposed.

But for a long time some congressional committees have gone far beyond the limits of fair play. That practice must stop.

Senator Scott Lucas of Illinois has introduced a resolution providing that any person who thinks he has been defamed before a committee shall have the following rights:

(1) To file his own sworn statement in reply, which must be made a part of the permanent record of the hearings.

(2) To appear personally before the committee.

(3) To compel the committee to subpoena up to four witnesses in his behalf.

(4) The right of counsel.

(5) He, or his counsel, may cross examine witnesses.

(6) No committee report shall be issued until it has been approved by a majority of a quorum of the committee.

(7) No committee statement, or report, charging misconduct by any person shall be published or filed unless and until the person charged shall be advised of the charge and shall have reasonable opportunity to defend himself.

If Congress is genuinely concerned about civil rights in this country, it should pass this, or some similar resolution, to govern its committees. It is intolerable that committee members, hungry for the headlines, should make sensational attacks on the good name of an American citizen in the newspapers or on the radio, and then give him no opportunity to defend himself.

At that time, according to the Courier, the San Carlo Opera Company was presenting Cavalleria Rusticana and Pagliacci at the Bristol Theatre, which was located on Wood street near Penn. What is the Grand Theatre now was then the Forrest, where Mary Pickford was being shown in "The Good Little Devil." There was also vaudeville at the Riverside Theatre, now the Bristol, the Enterprise Amusement Co. was presenting the Tip Top Beauties, a "whirly girl" show with Harry Monroe and Billie Benson, in the musical farce "My Wife's Husband."

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Luncheon and Vespers Will Conclude Season's Activities

MORRISVILLE. Mar. 17 — The various departments of Morrisville Women's Clubs have outlined activities for the near future.

These include a meeting of the executive board on the 23rd of this month at the residence of Mrs. Lewis Speakman, Harper avenue, the hour being eight p. m.

Past Presidents' Day will be observed on April 6th, with election of officers held. On April 7th Dr. John G. Whiting, assistant professor of politics at Princeton University, Princeton, N. J., will speak to members and their husbands.

The spring luncheon on May 11th, and a vesper service on May 16th will bring the season's activities to a close.

Today's Quiet Moment

By The Rev.
Andrew Geo. Sella, Th. D., D. D.
Pastor, Presbyterian
Church of Our Saviour

Dear God, our merciful Father, we have come safely through many dangers this day because of Thy watchful care and protection over us. For this we give Thee our most sincere thanks and pray that Thou wouldst continue to deliver us from the dangers that would harm both body and soul. This we ask in Christ's most precious name. Amen.

Women's Guild held a meeting Monday evening at the church. A business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Robert Lewis, chairman. Mrs. Marion Whipple conducted a program outlined by the new study group of the guild. The program was taken from the book "Committed Unto Us." Refreshments were served to eight.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brodie and son Charles, Jr., and Mrs. Russell Carty, Pond street, were guests on Sunday of Mrs. E. Raylman, Holmesburg.

Mrs. Bertha Scarborough, Philadelphia, was an overnight guest Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Minor, Bath road. On Sunday, Mrs. Scarborough visited her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Horace States, Mifflin street.

Mr. and Mrs. David Ludwig, New Buckley street, were hosts on Saturday evening to the Young Adults of Bristol Methodist Church. Following a business meeting refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Moss, Mr. and Mrs. Morris

Others present were: Patricia Elmer, Mary Ellen O'Brien, Kathleen Elmer, "Cathy" Lawler, Rita Ferry, Ann Theresa Larrisey, Katherine McEconomy, Mary Kilgallen, Lorraine Cook, Ann Gross, Margaret Mossbrook, "Kathy" Amisson and Eugene Ferry.

Audrey Ann Amisson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Amisson, Windsor Village, observed her ninth birthday anniversary at a party at her parents' home on Sunday afternoon. Decorations and favors were in keeping with St. Patrick's day. Game prizes were awarded to: Mary Frances McGlynn, Joan McEconomy, Mary Ann Taylor, and Margie Ann McGlynn. Refreshments were served, the favors being shamrock cups filled with nuts.

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Audrey Ann was the recipient of many gifts. Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Amisson were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Valys, Trenton, N. J.

Mrs. William Grow, Market street, left on Wednesday for an indefinite stay with her son and daughter-in-law, Nelson Grow, C. P. O., and Mrs. Grow, at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Circle No. 8, Bristol Presbyterian

Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morrell, the Misses Marion Walters, Ida Hampton and Marion Rogers; and Charles Slotter.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Hunter, Bristol Terrace L, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter on Friday in Nazareth Hospital, Philadelphia. The baby weighed 8 lbs., 6 ozs., at birth and has been named Joan Irene.

Mrs. Phillip Kelly, Burlington, Vt., has arrived in Bristol for a few days visit and to attend the funeral of her aunt, Miss Mary Doyle.

Earl Vetter, a senior at Lehigh University, Bethlehem, spent the week-end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Vetter, Bath Addition. He was accompanied by Robert Cairns, of Wayne, who is a fraternity brother from Alpha Sigma Phi.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Chance, of Leesburg, N. J., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sutton, Wilson avenue.

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Games were played and refreshments shared by all. Young guests attending were: Geraldine Piazza, "Jackie" Chion, Hilda Hamm, Charlotte Hadfield, Evelyn Sabatini, Grace Rosetti, Diana Tortu, Mary Galione, and Bonnie Ann Snyder. Adults included: Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Snyder, Mrs. Antonette Sabatini, Mrs. Donovan Fagans, Anthony Dill and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chion.

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These include a meeting of the executive board on the 23rd of this month at the residence of Mrs. Lewis Speakman, Harper avenue, the hour being eight p.m.

Past Presidents' Day will be observed on April 6th, with election of officers held. On April 7th Dr. John G. Whitton, assistant professor of politics at Princeton University, Princeton, N.J., will speak to members and their husbands.

The spring luncheon on May 11th, and a vesper service on May 16th will bring the season's activities to a close.

Today's Quiet Moment

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Andrew Geo. Sohne, Th. D., D. D.
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Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morrell, the Misses Marion Walters, Ida Hampton, and Marion Rogers; and Charles Slotter.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Hunter, Bristol Terrace L, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter on Friday in Nazareth Hospital, Philadelphia. The baby weighed 8 lbs., 6 ozs. at birth and has been named Joan Irene.

Mrs. Phillip Kelly, Burlington, Vt., has arrived in Bristol for a few days visit and to attend the funeral of her aunt, Miss Mary Doyle.

Earl Vetter, a senior at Lehigh University, Bethlehem, spent the week-end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Vetter, Bath, Ad-Dition. He was accompanied by Robert Cairns, of Wayne, who is a fraternity brother from Alpha Sigma Phi.

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Games were played and refreshments shared by all. Young guests attending were: Geraldine Plaza, "Jackie" Chion, Hilda Hamm, Charlotte Hadfield, Evelyn Sabatini, Grace Rosetti, Diana Tortu, Mary Galione, and Bonnie Ann Snyder. Adults included: Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Snyder, Mrs. Antonette Sabatini, Mrs. Donovan Fagan, Anthony Dill and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chion.

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"We must build up our military and naval establishments. We must build and maintain a mighty air defense. We must have the strongest navy on the seas. We must make ourselves absolutely supreme in the air and under the seas.

"In this issue, where the fate of civilization is at stake, we must

spare no effort to be sure of the outcome."

The House Speaker said the GOP Steering Committee agreed to approve the President's eleven billion dollar military budget as well as additional funds for a stronger air force.

Martin predicted passage of the European recovery bill in the House by April 1. He said he believed final passage of a conference measure can be sped to send the bill to the President by April 5.

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Here and There In Bucks County Towns

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preparing to enter the class room, he told a nurse "I don't think I'll collapse this morning" and collapsed.

He was removed to a private room, where physicians gave immediate treatment. He was placed in an oxygen tent, but physicians said he is responding to the treatment.

Preparations for an Easter egg hunt to be held on Friday, March 26, on the grounds of the library, here, were made at a meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary of Riegelsville Post, No. 950, at the home of Mrs. John Sigafoos, Riegelsville.

Members were urged to donate eggs, boiled or colored, for the event. They will be received at the home of Mrs. J. C. Bachman, Riegelsville, on the day of the hunt.

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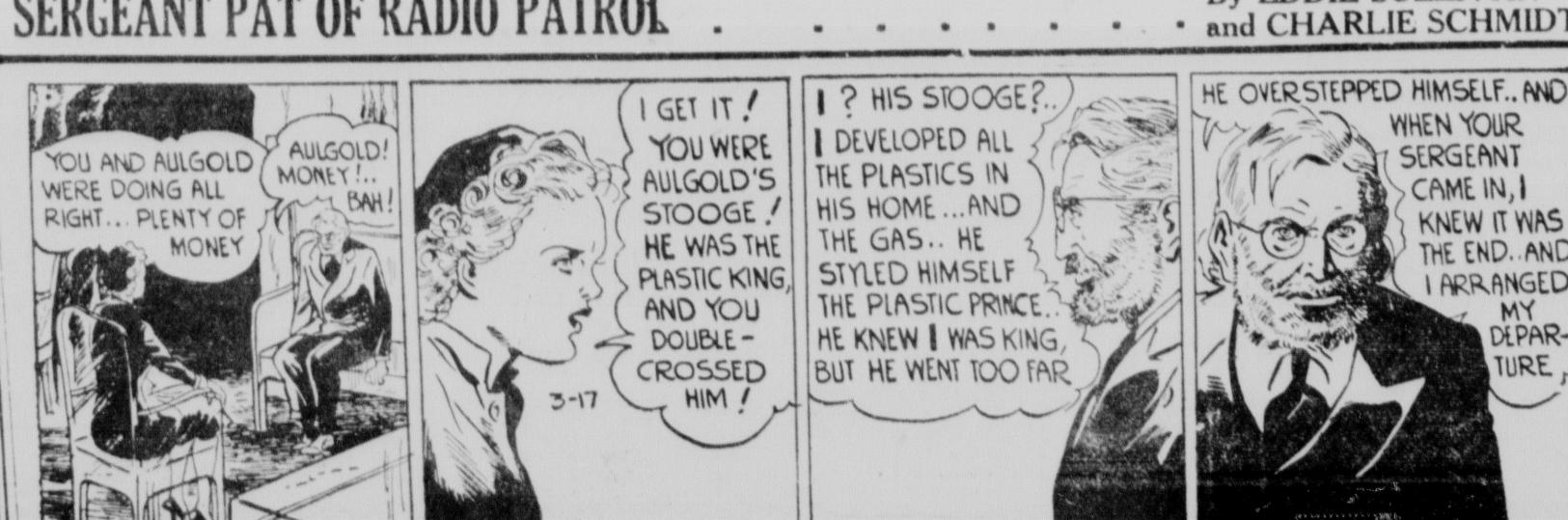
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"Jerry" Bloom, coach of the Bristol High School, is tournament manager and others on the committee are: Harry McClester, Henry Morgan, John Dougherty, George Perkins, Horace Jefferies, Benjamin Watson, Thomas Juno, Devon Smith, Carmen Mignoni, William Pearson, and Walter Rosser.

Applications are now being received and blanks can be procured from any of the above. The applications must be in the hands of Coach Bloom or Walter Rosser before March 24th.

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